

**UTILITY  
PATENT APPLICATION  
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37 CFR 1.53(b))

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Title

Systemic Immune Activation  
Method Nucleic Acid-Lipid  
Complexes

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**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**Commissioner for Patents  
Mail Stop Patent Application  
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1. ☐ Fee Transmittal Form  
(submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27
3. ☒ Specification [74 total pages plus title page]  
(preferred Arrangement set forth below)
- Descriptive title of the Invention
  - Cross References to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R&D
  - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim(s) (32 claims)
  - Abstract of the Disclosure (1 page)
4. ☒ Drawing(s) [32 total sheets (Figures 1-33)]
5. ☐ Oath or Declaration [ total pages]
- a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)
- b. ☐ Copy from prior appl. (37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
- i. ☐ **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**  
Signed statement attached deleting  
inventor(s) named in prior application,  
see 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

6. ☐ Application Data Sheet. (See 37 CFR 1.76)
7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table  
or Computer Program (Appendix)
8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
(if applicable, all necessary)
- a. ☒ Computer Readable Form
- b. ☒ Specification Sequence Listing on:
- i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
- ii. ☒ paper
- c. ☒ Statements verifying identity of above copies

**ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (coversheet/document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR. 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of  
(when there is an assignee) Attorney
11. ☐ English Translation Document
12. ☐ IDS & Form PTO/SB/08A ☐ Copies of IDS  
Citations
13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
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16. ☐ Nonpublication Request Under 35 USC  
122(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form  
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17. ☒ Other: Certificate of Mailing by Express Mail

18. If a **CONTINUING APPLICATION**, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☒ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: 09/104,759

Prior application information:

Examiner: Anne Marie Sabrina Wehbe Group/Art Unit: 1632

FOR CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

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For: SYSTEMIC IMMUNE  
ACTIVATION METHOD USING  
NUCLEIC ACID-LIPID COMPLEXES

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The undersigned hereby certifies that the following documents:

1. Utility Patent Application Transmittal;
2. Utility Patent Application (74 pages plus title page);
3. 32 sheets of drawings (Figures 1-33);
4. Sequence Listing;
5. Computer Disk with Sequence Listing;
6. Statement Under 37 CFR § 1.821;
7. Return postcard; and
8. Certificate of Mailing By Express Mail

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